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WEIGHTED FAIR QUEUE SERVING PLURAL OUTPUT PORTS

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- X Specification, claims and abstract, totaling 29 pages.
- X Formal Drawings totaling 7 pages.
- X Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- X Assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504.
- X Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (PTO FORM-1595).
- X PTO FORM-1449 together with 13 cited references.
- X Information Disclosure Statement.

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